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Customer No.: 31561
Docket No.: 12689-US-PA
Application No.: 10/709,894

PATENT

Request	Application No.	: 10/709,84
For Continued Continued	Filing Date	: June 4, 2004
Continued Examination (RCE)	First Named Inventor	: David Ho
Transmittal	Group Art Unit	: 2617
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Commissioner for Patents Customer Service Window Mail Stop RCE Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314	Attorney Docket No.	: 12689-US-PA

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 of the above-identified application.

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